

**U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
HAZARDOUS MATERIALS SAFETY  
HAZARDOUS MATERIALS INFORMATION SYSTEM  
HAZMAT SUMMARY BY STATE FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2002**

| State                                 | Incidents | <u>Injuries</u> |       | Deaths | \$ Damages |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|--------|------------|
|                                       |           | Major           | Minor |        |            |
| ALABAMA                               | 15        | 0               | 0     | 0      | 1,725,499  |
| ALASKA                                | 3         | 0               | 0     | 0      | 56,600     |
| ARIZONA                               | 7         | 0               | 1     | 0      | 291,083    |
| ARKANSAS                              | 13        | 1               | 0     | 1      | 550,139    |
| CALIFORNIA                            | 23        | 0               | 0     | 0      | 730,065    |
| COLORADO                              | 11        | 0               | 1     | 0      | 1,492,267  |
| CONNECTICUT                           | 6         | 0               | 0     | 0      | 807,427    |
| DELAWARE                              | 2         | 0               | 0     | 0      | 104,501    |
| FLORIDA                               | 22        | 0               | 0     | 1      | 1,800,676  |
| GEORGIA                               | 19        | 0               | 1     | 0      | 1,081,526  |
| IDAHO                                 | 3         | 0               | 0     | 0      | 2,199,341  |
| ILLINOIS                              | 18        | 2               | 0     | 1      | 717,855    |
| INDIANA                               | 11        | 0               | 1     | 1      | 419,068    |
| IOWA                                  | 8         | 0               | 0     | 0      | 273,479    |
| KANSAS                                | 7         | 0               | 0     | 0      | 81,767     |
| KENTUCKY                              | 10        | 1               | 0     | 0      | 1,031,587  |
| LOUISIANA                             | 25        | 3               | 1     | 0      | 1,864,043  |
| MAINE                                 | 1         | 0               | 0     | 0      | 89,459     |
| MARYLAND                              | 11        | 0               | 0     | 0      | 236,958    |
| MASSACHUSETTS                         | 3         | 0               | 0     | 0      | 44,730     |
| MICHIGAN                              | 9         | 0               | 0     | 0      | 236,265    |
| MINNESOTA                             | 10        | 0               | 1     | 0      | 368,995    |
| MISSISSIPPI                           | 6         | 0               | 1     | 0      | 541,845    |
| MISSOURI                              | 14        | 0               | 0     | 0      | 1,050,607  |
| MONTANA                               | 6         | 0               | 0     | 0      | 261,553    |
| NEBRASKA                              | 2         | 0               | 0     | 0      | 95,700     |
| NEVADA                                | 4         | 0               | 0     | 0      | 199,076    |
| NEW JERSEY                            | 7         | 1               | 0     | 0      | 314,375    |
| NEW MEXICO                            | 4         | 0               | 0     | 0      | 355,260    |
| NEW YORK                              | 10        | 0               | 0     | 1      | 711,746    |
| NORTH CAROLINA                        | 14        | 0               | 1     | 0      | 1,477,255  |
| NORTH DAKOTA                          | 5         | 2               | 0     | 1      | 99,418     |
| OHIO                                  | 19        | 1               | 0     | 0      | 595,781    |
| OKLAHOMA                              | 6         | 1               | 2     | 0      | 85,680     |
| OREGON                                | 4         | 0               | 0     | 0      | 77,748     |
| PENNSYLVANIA                          | 17        | 0               | 0     | 0      | 1,338,559  |
| SOUTH CAROLINA                        | 5         | 0               | 0     | 0      | 277,712    |
| TENNESSEE                             | 17        | 2               | 0     | 0      | 2,737,434  |
| TEXAS                                 | 50        | 1               | 0     | 1      | 3,307,101  |
| UTAH                                  | 8         | 0               | 0     | 0      | 290,600    |
| VIRGINIA                              | 10        | 2               | 0     | 0      | 2,144,545  |
| WASHINGTON                            | 2         | 0               | 0     | 0      | 450,700    |
| WEST VIRGINIA                         | 3         | 0               | 0     | 0      | 963,100    |
| WISCONSIN                             | 3         | 0               | 0     | 0      | 4,975      |
| WYOMING                               | 6         | 0               | 0     | 0      | 2,976,222  |
| U.S. TERRITORIES OR FOREIGN LOCATIONS | 5         | 0               | 0     | 0      | 198,833    |
| Total - 2002                          | 464       | 17              | 10    | 7      | 36,759,155 |

\* RSPA revised the definition of a serious incident in 2002. This report uses the current definition:

- a fatality or major injury caused by the release of a hazardous material,
- the evacuation of 25 or more persons as a result of release of a hazardous material or exposure to fire,
- a release or exposure to fire which results in the closure of a major transportation artery,
- the alteration of an aircraft flight plan or operation,
- the release of radioactive materials from Type B packaging,
- the release of over 11.9 gallons or 88.2 pounds of a severe marine pollutant, or
- the release of a bulk quantity (over 119 gallons or 882 pounds) of a hazardous material.